



Work for Sustenance, Dignity and Hope

December 15, 2012

The Honorable Julius Genachowski, Chairman
Federal Communications Commission
445 12th Street, SW
Washington, DC 20554

Re: RM-11683, IB Docket No. 12-340

Dear Chairman Genachowski:

I write today to urge the FCC to grant the pending application of LightSquared for a license modification that would allow it to move forward in providing a revolutionary new 4G cellular telephone and wireless broadband system using both satellite technology and surface towers.

I work with Jubilee Jobs, a Lexington-based organization that helps people who have been through problems in their lives find new jobs, and move their lives forward. Our work is made easier when we can contact people by cell phone and communicate with them on mobile devices.

The service in Kentucky is good enough to do this in many urban areas, but in more rural areas, even in many counties surrounding Lexington, the cell service is simply not good enough for this.

Bad cell phone service and poor wireless broadband internet service are serious obstacles to economic development in much of Kentucky, and in rural areas across our nation. That is why I am pleased that LightSquared has proposed to build, without any government assistance or taxpayer money, a revolutionary system that will provide 4G service to millions of Americans who do not have such service now.

Working with job seekers, I am also impressed by the fact that LightSquared proposes to sell its new service through a network of independent retailers, rather than through one big corporate entity, because I know that smaller retailers, with offices and locations in rural areas, will help provide jobs to these areas as well.

The license modification sought by LightSquared would allow it to utilize portions of the bandwidth not fully utilized by the Federal government, and therefore would advance the goal of making full use of the spectrum that we have.

I see LightSquared's proposal as a win-win situation for everyone involved. Therefore, I strongly urge the FCC to approve LightSquared's pending application for a license modification.

Very truly yours,

A handwritten signature in blue ink, appearing to read "Alexander Hellmann". The signature is written in a cursive, flowing style.

Alexander Hellmann
Jubilee Jobs,